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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the Written Opinion of the International Preliminary Examining Authority for PCT/US02/15482 listed on the enclosed Form PTO/SB/08B, which is related to the instant case, and in which U.S. Patent No. 5,892,535 has been cited. U.S. Patent No. 5,892,535 was disclosed by the applicants in a previously submitted IDS filed February 26, 2003. A copy of the Written Opinion of the International Preliminary Examining Authority is also enclosed.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner return a copy of the enclosed Form PTO/SB/08B upon consideration of the above referenced information. (Although not itself prior art, the Written Opinion of the International Preliminary Examining

Authority has been listed under the Other Prior Art section on the enclosed Form PTO/SB/08B for the sake of good order, to enable the Examiner to indicate to applicants that the Written Opinion was considered by the Examiner.)

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Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of this application is respectfully requested. In the event that there are any questions, or should additional information be required, please do not hesitate to contact applicant's attorney at the number listed below.

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